

Miles Assumes the Command

General Shafter Turned the Leadership of the Santiago Army Over to Him Tuesday.

NEW YORK, July 12.—A cable to the Herald from Playa del Esta says:

General Miles succeeded General Shafter in command of the American troops at Santiago today. He is determined to crush Toral at once as a sanitary measure.

General Miles has ordered the burning of the town of Siboney.

The commander in chief was shocked at the sanitary condition, and did not even spare the military headquarters.

Miles will probably order Sampson to run the gauntlet of mines and torpedos at the entrance to the harbor and begin a combined attack by land and sea on Santiago tomorrow, July 13th.

CONFIDENCE IN ADMIRAL DEWEY

Little Doubt Expressed that the Hero of Manila Can Take Care of Himself if the Kaiser's Fleet Figures in the Action.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The action of the German warship in preventing the investment of the Isla Grande in Subig bay, near Manila, yesterday is still a subject of grave interest at the war department. It is true that the Irene retired when two vessels of Dewey's fleet appeared in the harbor, but were it not for the perfect confidence that the Washington authorities repose in the hero of Manila, the incident might lead to a demand on Germany for an explanation.

President McKinley and Secretary Long and Alger perfectly agree that Dewey's management of the affairs in Manila has been most admirable, and they are not disposed hardly to even offer suggestions as to how the admiral should act in case of any overt acts on the part of the Kaiser's fleet.

The splendid work of Dewey in disposing of Admiral Montojo leaves no fear in the mind of the president as to what will be the outcome in case any foreign vessels at Manila invite a similar duel.

E. C. Blanks, of Louisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is worth \$50 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. For sale by the Snipes-Kinnersly, Drug Company.

Spain is Desirous of Making Peace

Her Majesty Realizes the Hopelessness of Her Cause—Ready to Come to Terms.

NEW YORK, July 12.—A special from Washington says that advices from Madrid indicate that Spain will make direct overtures to the United States for peace within the next twenty-four hours. The government and her majesty recognize at last the utter hopelessness of the war, and are eager to come to terms if the United States is not altogether too exacting.

SPAIN MAKES OFFERS OF PEACE

Doubt as to Whether or Not They Will Be Accepted, as Spain Asks for the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Peace terms to which Spain is willing to accede have been communicated to President McKinley. It is asserted that they may be accepted. The Spanish offer to grant Cuba independence, transfer Porto Rico to the United States and give this country a coaling station in the Philippines; but want to retain the Philippine Islands, outside of the coal station.

A CHINESE WARSHIP SUNK

One Hundred and Eighteen Lives Lost in the Catastrophe—Details are Very Meagre.

SEATTLE, July 14.—Steamship advices from the Orient says:

The Chinese warship Hee Ching sank at Port Arthur and one hundred and eighteen lives were lost. The details are lacking.

The British warship Iphigenia left Hong Kong on June 20th for Manila.

Watson's Fleet to Be Strengthened.

NEW YORK, July 14.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Believing the effect of the appearance of the American squadron on the Spanish coast will be in direct proportion to the strength of the fleet, Secretary Long and the naval board have decided to strengthen Commodore Watson's command by an additional armor-clad and probably three or four protected and unprotected cruisers.

RICH RESOURCES OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Its Products Will all Be Shown at the Oregon Industrial Exposition in Portland, September 23.

That Oregon, Washington and Idaho are entitled to be rated as among the most productive and resourceful states in the union, will be abundantly proven by this season's magnified crop.

The world wants evidence of all this, and it will do the world good and do good to the whole Northwest and all its people. These people are the ones to furnish this evidence, and they can do this by taking an active interest in the Oregon Industrial Exposition, to be held in Portland, September 22 to October 22, 1898.

The success of the exposition is already assured; enterprising men of affairs are at its head, and the various committees are working in a way that insures the best exposition ever held in the Northwest.

Gold, silver and bronze medals and diplomas will be awarded for the best exhibits, and the farmers and producers who send exhibits will be doing good work for themselves and the whole north Pacific coast—work that will result in bringing here, people and wealth and development.

It is intended to have on exhibition a sample of every variety of grain and grass that grows in the Northwest, and full particulars as to its growth, yield, etc., which information will be interesting and instructive to all.

The exposition management will take to Portland free of charge all exhibits; shipping tags and full particulars will be sent upon request to Secretary Industrial Exposition, Portland, Or.

The exposition is going to be a great attraction, and one of its many excellent features will be a first-class band, rendering better music than has been heard in Portland since Liberator's engagement seven or eight years ago.

Our baby has been continually troubled with colic and cholera infantum since his birth, and all that we could do for him did not seem to give more than temporary relief, until we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Since giving that remedy he has not been troubled. We want to give you this testimonial as an evidence of our gratitude not that you need it to advertise your meritorious remedy.—G. M. Law, Keokuk, Iowa. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Ex-County Clerk L. V. Ehlen of Marion county, who has been missing from Salem since the morning of the day the tally-sheet forgeries were discovered, returned Wednesday evening in company with District Attorney Hayden. Ehlen was met at the train by Tilmon Ford, who conducted the preliminary examination of D'Arcy, Carson and Richardson, and after making a short call at his home he was taken to Ford's office, evidently for the purpose of avoiding reporters. No communication could

be received from Ehlen or his friends tonight, but it may safely be said that he has returned to tell what he knows about the ballot frauds, and to straighten up any deficiencies that may be found in his accounts. The experts will probably report tomorrow, and it is expected that the report will show a deficiency of something less than \$3,000. This will be made good by Ehlen's relatives. Ehlen's return will probably lead to more arrests and sensational developments.

DEATH OF GEORGE P. MORGAN.

After a Long Illness His Suffering is Now Ended and He is at Rest.

The not unexpected news of the death of George P. Morgan at Cascade Locks Monday evening reached this city Tuesday morning. For weeks his friends have been anticipating this sad news; indeed, for more than a year past many have feared his days were numbered as being naturally of a weak constitution, disease seemed to be gradually gaining a strong hold on him.

Since Mr. Morgan came to The Dalles sixteen years ago and took a position as book-keeper for McFarland & French, he has been a citizen who was highly respected, and of a literary turn of mind has filled positions of prominence and trust. Born in Virginia 48 years ago, he was a true Southern gentleman in every sense of the term. Shortly after taking up his residence here he met Miss Olivia Wallace, who was then a teacher in the public schools of this city, and from their first meeting seemed to see in her the noble womanhood which has proven such a blessing to him through their married life, which has been spent for the most part in The Dalles, he being school clerk of this district at the time of his death.

From the fact that the nature of the disease which caused Mr. Morgan's death has never been fully determined, at his request an autopsy will be held over the remains this morning. The deceased made this request on his death bed, saying that he hoped a discovery might be made which would be of benefit to medical science and so prevent others from suffering as he had done.

Funeral of George P. Morgan.

Fraternity hall was filled with friends Thursday evening, who had gathered to pay their last tribute to one who during life was highly respected by all—George P. Morgan.

The order of Workmen, of which deceased was a member, attended in a body and took charge of the services at the cemetery, the services at the hall being conducted by Rev. Jos. DeForest, of the Episcopal church. Two very appropriate hymns were sung by the choir, and the solo by Miss Georgia Sampson, "Over the Stars There is Rest," was particularly sweet and impressive.

The floral offerings were many and very beautiful, showing that the friends of the deceased were anxious to express their regard for him and their sympathy for her who now mourns his loss. The remains were interred in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Of Interest to Stock Raisers.

The following quotations from the South Omaha stock yards will be of interest to stock-raisers:

Receipts of western cattle still continue to be very moderate, and consist entirely of stockers and feeders. The downward tendency noted last week has been checked and prices have improved this week about 10 cents, with a more active demand, caused no doubt by the general belief that the corn crop of Nebraska is almost assured. Based upon actual sales we quote prices as follows: Yearling steers \$4.40 to \$4.75; two and three-year-old steers \$4 to \$4.40; four-year-old steers \$3.65 to \$4; yearling heifers \$3.75 to \$4.25; two and three-year-old heifers \$3.25 to \$3.65; cows \$2.50 to \$3.25.

Quite a number of feeding cattle and stockers from the western states, including California and Texas above quarantine, have been unloaded in all of the large feeding counties of Nebraska, with the expectation of selling to feeders. Sales at all the points where they have been unloaded are slow, because feeders are reluctant to invest, until they are certain that they will raise corn to fatten the cattle. On account of these conditions, owners who are shipping direct to this market are meeting with more satisfactory results than have been obtained by unloading out in the state.

Receipts of sheep are still quite moderate, and have changed from local feed sheep to western grass sheep. The general sheep market has declined 20 cents to 40 cents since our last letter. Instead of quotations we give below some sales of western sheep and lambs made here during the past week: Wyoming grass wethers 1438, average 121, 4.40, and 820 same sheep average 126 at \$4.45. These sheep were fed some alfalfa during the winter, and finished on grass. Ninety-five California wethers, average 115, \$3.75; 83 Oregon mixed, average 91, \$4.35; 142 wethers, average 62, \$4.40; 135 western lambs, average 69, \$4.70; 141 average 67, \$4.80; 448, average 72, \$5.25; 131, average 59, \$4.45.

Don't forget that Keller keeps the best ice cream soda in the city.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Wednesday's Daily.

Frank Gable, of Wapinitia, was in the city yesterday.

A. McLennon, of Antelope, is a guest at the Umatilla.

O. D. Sturgess, of Arlington, is at the Umatilla House.

D. D. Neer, a Portland architect, is in the city on business.

W. H. Fowler arrived in the city yesterday from Spokane.

Hon. John Sommerville, of Hay Creek, is in the city.

B. R. Snow, of Goldendale, spent yesterday in The Dalles.

Mrs. R. G. Ferguson, of Goldendale, is at the Umatilla House.

W. F. Johnston, the Wasco grain buyer and merchant, is in the city on business.

Emerson Williams, of Kingsley, who has been in the city on business, left for his home yesterday.

Ad Keller and family went to Moffatt Springs yesterday, where they will camp a couple of weeks.

Carl Williams, who for several months has been visiting relatives in the city, left for Portland yesterday.

Andrew Dufur, of Dufur, was among the passengers of the Regulator who arrived on the 5:20 train yesterday.

Mrs. Grace Gordon arrived on the Sarah Dixon Monday evening and is visiting at the residence of her brother, Mr. Ed. Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Lord and Miss Lord left on yesterday morning's boat for North Beach, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. W. H. Biggs has returned from an extended visit with relatives at San Francisco and in the Sacramento valley. During the latter part of her visit she had an accident which caused her to have a sprained ankle, and although not being serious, has prevented her moving about with as much alacrity as formerly.

Thursday's Daily.

Mose Sichel is in the city from Portland.

Frank Nicholas, of Hay Creek, is in the city.

Mr. Wm. Ashby is in the city from Antelope.

Charles Lord, of Arlington, spent yesterday in the city.

E. Jacobson left on last night's train for Sherman county.

Mrs. Cooper and child, of Moro, are at the Umatilla House.

Daniel O'Connor, of Goldendale, was in the city yesterday.

O. J. Richardson, of Hay Creek, is registered at the Umatilla House.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Geiger returned last night from a short visit to Salem.

Thomas Ward and family went to the mountains in the vicinity of Mt. Hood yesterday for a few weeks' outing.

J. P. Van Houten, of the Baldwin Sheep and Land Co., is in the city attending to business for his company.

Misses Bessie French and Carrie St. John will leave this morning for Seaview, Ilwaco, where they will join Mrs. D. M. French at their cottage at that place.

Mrs. H. W. French and sister, Florence Williams, and Miss Elizabeth Sampson will leave this morning for Portland, and will accompany Mrs. A. M. Williams to Pine Rest cottage, on Clatsop beach.

Messrs. W. H. Quinn and Sam Seifert, of Prineville, went to Portland this morning on business. Mr. Quinn is one of the prominent sheep men of the Prineville country, and is in The Dalles attending to his wool interests.

Friday's Daily.

Mr. Nolan, of Dufur, is in the city on business.

R. Murray, of Fulda, is at the Umatilla House.

C. Ashby, of Fort Simcoe, Washington, is in the city.

M. M. Callahan, of Dufur, spent yesterday in the city.

A. J. McHaley, of Eight Mile, was in the city yesterday.

A. H. Breyman, of the Baldwin Sheep and Land Co., is in the city.

J. Kuman and wife, of Fort Simcoe, are in the city for a short stay.

Dan McDonald, of Glenwood, is among the guests at the Umatilla.

Mrs. W. A. Johnston, and son are spending the summer at Fairview.

Mrs. Inez Filloon and the Misses Crooks left for Trout Lake yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Stephens will leave this morning for Albany to visit relatives.

Charles McAllister, of Glenwood, Washington, is in the city on business.

M. S. Johns and family left for Stevenson yesterday for a summer outing.

E. G. Eckley, of Spencer, Idaho, is in the city visiting his uncle, Mr. M. Parkins.

Clinton A. McArthur, son of the late Judge L. L. McArthur, is in the city visiting at the family of Mr. Schenck.

Miss Marie Sculley, who for several days has been visiting Miss Alice Lyle, left for her home in Portland yesterday.

F. W. Silvertooth, of Antelope, is in the city on business. He is one of the sufferers from the recent fire in Antelope.

John Sommerville, Jr., came in from Hay Creek yesterday and will leave this morning for Portland and the seaside.

Patrick Fagan, an old resident of The Dalles, who is at present engaged in the sheep business at Grade, Crook county, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Thompson and family left yesterday morning for Seaside, Clatsop beach, where they have rented a cottage and Mrs. Thompson and the children will spend the summer.

Ice cream soda, ice cream and strawberries at the Columbia Candy Factory.

Puny Children

Who would prescribe only tonics and bitters for a weak, puny child? Its muscles and nerves are so thoroughly exhausted that they cannot be whipped into activity. The child needs food; a blood-making, nerve-strengthening and muscle-building food.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-Liver Oil is all of this, and you still have a tonic in the hypophosphites of lime and soda to act with the food. For thin and delicate children there is no remedy superior to it in the world. It means growth, strength, plumpness and comfort to them. Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion.

50c. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

\$400.00 DOLLARS REWARD.

One brownish bay mare, branded JN, (connected) on left shoulder, and split in left ear. One brownish bay mare, branded L on left shoulder and left hip. Both work horses, weighing each about 1250 lbs. The reward will be paid for their return to

JAMES ENGLISH, Hood River, Or. jyl6-2w

ESTRAY.

Brown gelding 9 years old, branded JP (connected) on right shoulder, weighs about 1000 lbs. One cream gelding about 10 years, branded —1 on left thigh, came to my place on 3-Mile about January 1, 1898. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges on same. F. P. TAYLOR. jyl9-1m.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County.

H. S. Wilson, Receiver of The Dalles National Bank of Dalles City, Oregon, a corporation, Plaintiff,

Allan Grant, Ellen Grant and Anne Grant Fraser, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, decree and order of sale, duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco, to me directed, and dated the 12th day of July, 1898, upon a docket for the foreclosure of certain mortgages, and judgment rendered and entered in said court on the 14th day of June, 1898, in the above entitled cause, in favor of the said H. S. Wilson, as attorney for the said Allan Grant, as judgment debtor, in the sum of \$6983.96, and interest thereon at 10 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and the further sum of \$40.00 as attorney's fees, and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in such decree of foreclosure and hereinafter described, I will, on the

13th day of August, 1898,

at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and at the front door of the county court house in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the defendants Allan Grant, Ellen Grant and Anne Grant Fraser, or either of them, had on the 13th day of July, 1898, in and to the decree herein, or which such defendants or any of the defendants herein have since acquired, or now have in and to the following described real property, situate and being in Wasco County, Oregon, to-wit:

The north half of the southwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 6, Township 8 south, Range 17 east; and the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 16, Township 8 south, Range 17 east; and the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 16, Township 8 south, Range 17 east; or so much of said property as will satisfy said judgment and decree, with costs and accruing costs, and said property will be sold subject to confirmation and redemption as by law provided.

Dated at The Dalles, Oregon, this 12th day of July, 1898.

ROBERT KELLY, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon.

REFEREE'S SALE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County.

Anne Grant Fraser, Thomas Fraser, Catharine McGregor, Donald McGregor, Margaret McIntosh, Hugh McIntosh, Ellen Reed and Charles Reed, Plaintiffs,

Allan Grant and Ellen Grant, Defendants.

By virtue of a decree of partition made and entered in the above entitled court and cause on the 17th day of January, 1898, and in pursuance of a decree made and entered in the above entitled court on the 14th day of June, 1898, in a suit then pending therein wherein H. S. Wilson, Receiver of The Dalles National Bank of Dalles City, Oregon, is plaintiff, and said Allan Grant and Ellen Grant are defendants, appointing me Referee to sell the lands herein described and to divide the proceeds thereof, I will on

Saturday, the 13th day of August, 1898,

at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-seven, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, the north half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section sixteen, and the east half of the southeast quarter of section sixteen, all in Township eight south, Range seventeen east, W. M., and the south half of the northwest quarter of section four, Township south, Range seventeen east, W. M.

Dated at The Dalles, Oregon, July 12th, 1898.

D. H. ROBERTS, Referee.

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Olesen, deceased—Citation.

To sidsd Oredattar, Mrs. C. W. Taylor and Fred W. Wilson, and all persons interested in the above named estate, greeting:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco, at the court room thereof, at Dalles City, in the County of Wasco, on Monday, the 13th day of September, 1898,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made authorizing and directing the executor of said estate to sell the real property belonging thereto, at public auction, to-wit: The east half of the NW 1/4, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 8, Tp. 1, R. 12, W. M.

Witness the Hon. Robert Mays, Judge of the [S.A.L.] County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco, with the seal of said Court attested this 14th day of July, A. D. 1898. A. M. KELSA, Clerk. july16-4